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SPECULUM ANNI
OR AN
ALMANACK

For the Year of our
L O R D G O D

1696.

Being the Bissextile or Leap-year,
and from the worlds Creation 1659.

Wherein is contained an account of several Saints
as they are in the Breviary, the Planets, Eclipses,
Terms both at London and Cambridge, Inclina-
tion of the Air, and other things of note.

Calculated properly for the famous
University and Town of Cambridge where
the North Pole is Elevated above the
Horizon 52 degr. and 12 min.

But may indifferently serve for any Place within
this Kingdom.

Consue qui placeat, non credo quid modo vivet.

C A M B R I D G E,

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The vulgar Notes and moveable Feasts for this
Year 1696, in both Accounts, viz.

Julian or English.		The Golden Number	Gregorian or Foreign.
	6	The Dominical Letters	6
	6	The Epact	26
	25	The Cycle of the Sun	25
Febr.	23	Shrove-sunday	March 4
April	12	Easter-day	April 22
May	21	Ascension-day	May 31
May	31	Whit-sunday	June 10
Novemb.	29	Advent-sunday	Decemb. 2

A Table of the Four Terms with their Returns

Hilary Term begins Janua- ry 23, and ends February 29, and hath 4 returns, viz.	Octab. Hilary.	Jan. 20
	Quind. Hilary.	Jan. 27
	Craft. Purif.	Febr. 3
	Octab. Purif.	Febr. 10
Easter Term begins April 29, ends May 25, and hath 4 returns, viz.	Quind. Pasch.	April 27
	Tres Pasch.	May 4
	Ment. Pasch.	May 11
	Quind. Pasch.	May 18
Trinity Term begins June 12, and ends July 3, and hath 4 returns, viz.	Craft. Ascen.	May 22
	Craft. Trin.	June 8
	Octab. Trin.	June 15
	Quind. Trin.	June 22
Michaelmas Term begins October 23, and ends Novem- ber the 28, and hath 6 re- turns, viz.	Tres Trin.	June 29
	Tres Mich.	Octob. 20
	Ment. Mich.	Octob. 27
	Craft. Anim.	Novem. 3
	Craft. Mart.	Novem. 12
	Octab. Mart.	Novem. 19
	Quind. Mart.	Novem. 26
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The Scarlet days in the University of Cambridge, are as followeth.

All Saints, Christmas, Easter, Ascension, Whitsunday,
Trinity-sunday, Commencement, and the 29 of May;
At the two Fairs proclaiming in June and September,
The Feast of Saint Michael, and the 8 of November,
To Funerals, Clerams and Supplications,
All Doctors go as to Congregations,

That is in their Robes.

To the Reader.

WHereas formerly the right-hand Page of this Almanack, was for the most part empty; it shall hereafter be filled with some short account of, or reflection on the severall Saints, whose Names fill up the Third Column of the left-hand Page; and which few know any thing of, (and God be thanked that we have not the occasion of knowing them, which some have) but yet a little knowledge of them may not be amiss to satisfie our curiosity, and let us see what a burthen of Festivals we are delivered from, which others still groan under. I will be as brief as I can, and such as will not now come within the compass of that part of this Almanack prepared for that purpose, shall hereafter; so that thou mayst hope to have this small Purchase soon eke'd out with Twelve penny worth of History. The Almanacks (I find) differ in their Saints, and therefore for sureness, and that none may be thrust out with a Term begins, or the like; I will add some new every year.

Farewell.

Decr 1696.

A brief Concordance of Years with some memorable things
 since the beginning of the Reign of Queen Elizabeth.

Anno Dom.	An. Re.	Since	
1558	1	138	A Parliament called.
1559	2	137	Monasteries suppressed.
1560	3	136	Wars with Scots and French.
1561	4	135	Paul's Church-Steeples burnt.
1562	5	134	Tempest and Earthquake.
1563	6	133	20000 died of the Plague in London.
1564	7	132	Thames frozen.
1565	8	131	Peace with France.
1566	9	130	King James born.
1567	10	129	Royal Exchange finished.
1568	11	128	A dry Summer.
1569	12	127	Rebellion in the North.
1570	13	126	Wars with Scotland.
1571	14	125	Earthquake in Herefordshire.
1572	15	124	Massacre in France.
1573	16	123	Earl of Essex goes to Ireland.
1574	17	122	Counterfeit Spirits punished.
1575	18	121	An Earthquake.
1576	19	120	Forbisher's North Voyage.
1577	20	119	Infection at Oxford A. 1575.
1578	21	118	A great Snow.
1579	22	117	A curious Lock Smith.
1580	23	116	Great Earthquake and Bazing Star.
1581	24	115	Three Jesuits executed.
1582	25	114	New Calendar began.
1583	26	113	Earthquake in Dorsetshire.
1584	27	112	Nantwich burnt.
1585	28	111	Tobacco first used in England.
1586	29	110	Ludgate new built.
1587	30	109	Blackwell Hall new built.

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1588	31	108	Spain's Armado overthrown.
1589	32	107	Duke of Guise murdered.
1590	33	106	Blasphemous Hacket hanged.
1591	34	105	East-India Company began.
1592	35	104	The Thames almost dry.
1593	36	103	10636 died of the Plague in London.
1594	37	102	Great Tempest.
1595	38	101	Scarcity of Corn.
1596	39	100	Earl of Essex takes Cadix in Spain.
1597	40	99	Wheat 13 shillings a Bushel.
1598	41	98	Great Tempests and Frost.
1599	42	97	Earl of Essex goes to Ireland.
1600	43	96	Embassadors from Russia and Barbary.
1601	44	95	Earl of Essex beheaded.
1602	45	94	Queen Elizabeth died at Richmond.
1602			K. James I. began March 24. 1603.
1603	1	93	30578 die of the Plague in London.
1604	2	92	Peace with Spain.
1605	3	91	Powder Plot.
1606	4	90	King of Denmark came to England.
1607	5	89	Moore-fields beautified.
1608	6	88	Oath of Allegiance.
1609	7	87	New Exchange in the Strand.
1610	8	86	King of France murdered.
1611	9	85	Baribolomew Legat an Arian burnt.
1612	10	84	Lady Eliz. married. Prince Henry dies.
1613	11	83	Artillery Company revived.
1614	12	82	Middleton's Water.
1615	13	81	Smithfield paved.
1616	14	80	Charles created Prince of Wales.
1617	15	79	Haddock the sleeping Preacher.
1618	16	78	Sr Walter Raleigh decollated.
1619	17	77	Queen Anne dies.
1620	18	76	King of Bohemia overthrown.
1621	19	75	Philip 3 K. of Spain dies, Phil. 4. Ince.

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1622	20	74	Prince Charles goes into Spain.
1623	21	73	Black Friars downfall.
1624	22	72	The Bloody Cruelty at Ambyna.
1625			K. Char. I. beg. 27. 54285. die. Pl. 35419.
1626	3	70	War with Spain and France.
1627	4	69	Isle of Rheas Voyage.
1628	5	68	Duke of Buckingham slabb'd.
1629	6	67	New England planted.
1630	7	66	King Charles II. born.
1631	8	65	Battle at L. Tillylain.
1632	9	64	London Bridge burnt.
1633	10	63	James II. born Oct. 14.
1634	11	62	Ship Money first Taxed.
1635	12	61	Old Par died aged 80.
1636	13	60	Dutch take the Spanish Silver Fleet.
1637	14	59	English Linurgy sent into Scotland.
1638	15	58	The Scots National Covenant.
1639	16	57	Dutch beat the Spaniards at Dover.
1640	17	56	The long Parliament began Nov. 3.
1641	18	55	The Earl of Strafford beheaded.
1642	19	54	Edge Hill Fight.
1643	20	53	Newberry first Fight.
1644	21	52	Newberry second Fight.
1645	22	51	Arch-Bishop of Canterbury beheaded.
1646	23	50	Lord Fairfax takes Oxford.
1647	24	49	King taken by Parliament and Army.
1648		48	King traitorously beheaded. K. Charles
			the Second begins Jan. 30.
1649	1	47	Powder-blow in Tower-street.
1650	2	46	King Charles II. Crowned in Scotland.
1651	3	45	Worcester Fight. Louis beheaded.
1652	4	44	Wars with Holland.
1653	5	43	Old and New Parliament dissolved.
1654	6	42	Peace with Holland.

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1655	7	43	Wars with Spain.
1656	8	40	Two Tides in 3 hours, Octob. 3.
1657	9	39	Mardike taken by the English & French.
1658	10	38	Cromwell died.
1659	11	37	St George Boob, & Gen. Monk for the King
1660	12	36	King Charles II. joyfully restored.
1661	13	35	King Charles II. Crowned, April 23.
1662	14	34	Married to Queen Katherine.
1663	15	33	King and Queen at Windsor.
1664	16	32	Three blazing Stars seen.
1665	17	31	9735 I die, of the Plague 68586.
1666	18	30	13200 Houses burnt in London.
1667	19	29	The Dutch Hostile Treaty.
1667	19	28	E. of Clarindon banish. Abr. Comley died.
1669	21	27	Prince of Tuscany arrived in England.
1670	22	26	Duchess of Orleans died.
1671	23	26	Dutch. of York, & B. of Manchester died.
1672	24	24	War proclaimed with Holland by English and French. Earl of Sandwich slain.
1673	25	23	St Edward Spragg slain at Sea.
1676	28	20	600 Houses burnt in Southwark.
1677	29	19	Prince of Orange married to the L. Mary
1678	30	18	St Edmund. Bury Godfrey murdered.
1680	32	16	A great Comet.
1682	34	14	Another Comet.
1684	36	13	A great 13 weeks frost, with a Fair kept upon the frozen Thames.
1685	K. James		the II. began Febr. 6. The King and Queen Crowned April 23.
	1	11	Monmouth Landed at Limer. June 11.
	1	11	Monmouth beheaded, July 15.
1688	4	8	K. James left the Kingdom in December.
1689	K. William		2nd Q. Mary Crowned, April 11.

January hath xxxi days.

First quarter the 1 day, 43 min. past 9 in the forenoon.
 Full moon the 9 day, 36 min. past 6 in the morning.
 Last quarter the 17 day, 59 min. past 9 beforenoon.
 New moon the 24 day, 36 min. past 3 in the morning.
 First quarter the 30 day, 4 min past 11 at night.

1	a	Circumcision	21	26	Aries	22	
2	b	Octab. Steph.	22	27	Taur.	5	Very good
3	c	Octab. John	23	28		18	weather at
4	d	Octab. Innoc.	24	30	Gem.	1	the begining
5	e	2 after Christ.	25	31		13	of the month.
6	f	Twelth day	26	32		25	△ ○ ♄.
7	g	Felic. &c.	27	33	Canc.	8	△ ♂ ♀.
8	a	Edward	28	34		20	□ ♂ ♀.
9	b	Marcellus	29	35	Leo	2	
10	c	Sun in Aquar.	30	37		13	
11	d	Agustinus	1	38		25	▷ Apogeeon.
12	e	1 sun. asc. Epi.	2	39	Virgo	7	♂ ♀.
13	f	Hilary	3	40		19	Cold and dark
14	g	Felix	4	41	Libra	1	weather about
15	a	Maurice	5	42		13	this time.
16	b	Marcell.	6	43		25	△ ♀ ♀.
17	c	Anthony	7	44	Scorp.	8	
18	d	Anthony	8	45		21	
19	e	2 after Epiph.	9	46	Sagit.	5	
20	f	Octab. Hillar.	10	47		19	
21	g	Feb. Feb.	11	48	Capr.	3	
22	a	Agusta	12	49		18	□ ♄ ♀.
23	b	Term begins	13	50	Aquar.	3	
24	c	Timothy	14	51		18	▷ Perigeeon.
25	d	Cony. S. Paul	15	51	Pisces	3	
26	e	3 after Epiph.	16	52		18	Towards the
27	f	Quind. Hillar.	17	53	Aries	3	end more cold
28	g	Julian	18	54		17	with some
29	a	Valerius	19	55	Taur.	1	snow.
30	b	K. C. I. Mart.	20	56		14	
31	c	Saturn	21	57		27	△ ♂ ♀.

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Cambridge Term begins the 13 day.

Days of the month.	Suns rising.	Suns setting.
1	8	4
2	8	3
3	8	2
4	8	0
5	7	59
6	7	58
7	7	57
8	7	55
9	7	54
10	7	52
11	7	50
12	7	48
13	7	47
14	7	46
15	7	45
16	7	44
17	7	42
18	7	40
19	7	38
20	7	36
21	7	34
22	7	32
23	7	30
24	7	28
25	7	26
26	7	24
27	7	23
28	7	21
29	7	19
30	7	17
31	7	16

11 *Egwine*, Bp. of *Worster*, he got a pair of Iron Shackels, and having fastned them to his Legs before he took his journey to *Rome*, he threw the Key into the *Severn*, desiring of God that they might not be loosed from his Legs, till he had made satisfaction for all the Sins of his youth; and in his return, a fish leaped into the Ship, in whose belly was the Key, the Shackles were presently unlocked, and home he came rejoycing and built the famous Abby of *Evesham*, M. E.

16 *Henry* Confessor and *Erinite*, born in *Denmarke*, but came into *England* and lived in the Isle of *Cocbet* for many years; he eat nothing but bread and water, which being too much, he came to eat only 3 days in a week, and which some will think worse, for 4 days in the week he kept silence: he had a swelling in one of his knees, and when it brake there came out wormes, and good man he was so kind as to put them in again, bidding them go to their inherirance where they were born and bred; at last he went into the Church, rang his own Passing Bell, and there died, M. E. And is not all this enough to make a great Saint.

February hath xxix days.

Full moon the 8 day, 10 min. past 2 in the morning.
 Last quarter the 16 day, 21 min. past midnight.
 New moon the 22 day, 10 min. past 3 in the afternoon.
 First quarter the 29 day, 43 min. past 3 in the aftern.

D.	M.	Festival days with terms.	☉ place		Moons place.		Inclin ation of the air.
			d.	m.			
1	D	Epiphany	22	57	Gem.	10	♂ ☉ ♀.
2	C	Purif. V. M.	23	57		22	Cold and
3	C	Crist. Purif.	24	58	Canc.	5	frosty, with
4	S	St. Val.	25	59		17	some variety
5	S	St. Agath.	26	59		29	of weather
6	D	St. Dorothy	28	0	Lib	10	☉ Apogæon.
7	C	St. Ill. B. Y.	29	0		22	♂ ♂ ♀.
8	D	Sun in Pisces	0	1	Virgo	4	about this
9	C	Septuagesima	1	1		10	time.
10	C	Octab. Purif.	2	2		28	♂ ☉ ♂.
11	S	St. Blasii.	3	2	Libra	10	
12	S	Term ends	4	2		22	Very good
13	S	St. Valent.	5	3	Scorp.	5	seasonable
14	C	St. Valent.	6	3		18	weather now.
15	S	St. Agathe	7	3	Sagit.	1	♂ ♀ ♀.
16	C	Sexagesima	8	3		14	♂ ♀ ♀.
17	C	St. Agathe	9	4		27	* ♀ ♀.
18	S	St. Blasii	10	4	Capr.	12	♂ ♀ ♀.
19	S	St. Blasii	11	4		26	
20	S	St. Blasii	12	4	Aquar.	12	☉ Perigæon.
21	C	St. Blasii	13	4		26	♂ ♀ ♀.
22	D	St. Blasii	14	4	Pisces	11	* ♀ ♀.
23	C	Shrove Sunday	15	4		26	
24	C	St. Matthias	16	4	Aries	11	Somewhat
25	C	Intercall.	17	4		26	boisterous with
26	S	Ash wednesd.	18	4	Taur.	10	storms of snow
27	S	St. Blasii	19	4		23	and rain.
28	S	St. Blasii	20	4	Gem.	6	* ♀ ♀.
29	C	St. Blasii	21	5		19	☉ ♀.)

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Commencement for Batchelours in Arts
the 27 day.

Days of the month.
Suns rising.
and
Suns setting.

1 7 14 5
2 7 12 5
3 7 10 5
4 7 8 5
5 7 6 5
6 7 4 5
7 7 2 5
8 7 0 5
9 6 58 6
10 6 56 6
11 6 54 6
12 6 52 6
13 6 50 6
14 6 48 6
15 6 46 6
16 6 44 6
17 6 42 6
18 6 40 6
19 6 38 6
20 6 36 6
21 6 34 6
22 6 32 6
23 6 30 6
24 6 28 6
25 6 26 6
26 6 24 6
27 6 22 6
28 6 20 6
29 6 18 6

13 *Ermenild*, Wife of *Wulber* King of *Northumberland*, and Abbess of *Ely*, some idle boys to avoid whipping fled to her Tomb, but the cruel Master would not spare them for all that, but whipt them sorely, the next night she appeared to him, bound him hand and foot, so that he could not be loosed till he had sent for the Boys, begged their pardon and was himself carried to her Tomb. *Cap.* And perhaps it was by her help that another boy not long since escaped his Master, by leaping at a Bell-rope, and descending by it as it hung some distance from the wall, from a great height, as the Boys there will tell you.

16 *Juliana*, the Devil appeared to her as an Angel of light, and perswaded her to avoid Persecution by Sacrificing to the Heathen Gods, She in a passion caught hold on him threw him to the ground, and there held him all night, and in the morning dragged him through the Market-place, though he hung an Ase, and begg'd hard to get loose, and at last she threw him into a Privy *Old Brew.*

March hath xxxi d.

Full moon the 8 day, 51 min. past 7 at night.

Last quarter the 16 day, 25 min. past 10 in forenoon.

New moon the 23 day, about 1 in the morning.

First quarter 30 day, 22 min. past 9 in the forenoon.

1	Quadragesima	22	3	Canc.	1	♂ ☉ ♀.
2	Abas B.	23	3		13	High winds
3	Marrie:	24	3		23	* ☉ ♀.
4	Ember week	25	2	Leo	7	and boisterous
5	Shochan	26	2		18	☽ Apogzon.
6	Winar	27	1	Virgo	1	weather, but
7	Perpetua	28	1		13	not very cold.
8	2 fund. in Lent	29	0		25	
9	Sun in Aries	0	0	Libra	7	
10	Agastus	0	59		19	Some pinching
11	☿ Mart.	1	59	Scorp.	2	frosty mor-
12	☿ Regor	2	58		15	♂ ☉ ♀.
13	Euphras	3	57		28	☽ ♀.
14	heodore	4	57	Sagit.	11	♂ ☉ ♀.
15	3 fund. in Lent	5	56		24	nings, with
16	Willary, &c.	6	55	Capr.	8	storms of
17	Gurtebe	7	54		22	snow and
18	Edward R.	8	53	Aquar.	6	rain.
19	Joseph	9	53		20	☽ Perigzon.
20	Eusturt	10	52	Pisces	5	
21	Eusebig	11	51		20	
22	Midlent Sund.	12	50	Aries	5	♂ Stat. ad
23	Ethenday	13	49		19	Direct.
24	Richard, Ep.	14	48	Taur.	4	
25	Annun. V. M.	15	46		18	Windy and
26	Cestor M.	16	45	Gem.	1	☽ ☉.
27	Wupert	17	44		14	* ☽ ☉.
28	Mercian	18	43		27	Fere.
29	5 fund. in Lent	19	42	Canc.	10	dry about
30	Felty	20	40		22	this time.
31	Valdine	21	39	Leo	4	

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The latter Act the 16 day.

Days of the month.	Suns rising	Suns setting
1	6 26	6 26
2	6 14	6 14
3	6 12	6 12
4	6 10	6 10
5	6 8	6 8
6	6 6	6 6
7	6 4	6 6
8	6 2	6 6
9	6 0	6 6
10	5 58	7 0
11	5 56	7 0
12	5 54	7 0
13	5 52	7 0
14	5 50	7 0
15	5 48	7 0
16	5 46	7 0
17	5 44	7 0
18	5 42	7 0
19	5 40	7 0
20	5 38	7 0
21	5 36	7 0
22	5 34	7 0
23	5 32	7 0
24	5 30	7 0
25	5 28	7 0
26	5 26	7 0
27	5 24	7 0
28	5 22	7 0
29	5 20	7 0
30	5 18	7 0
31	5 16	7 0

19 *Joseph*. It seems they were much concerned to know to whom the *V. Mary* was to be espoused. (for every one was not fit to be trusted with her, who was to continue a Virgin all her life, at least till she had brought forth) and in order to this the High Priest commanded that all the unmarried persons of the house of *David* should appear at the Temple, and bring dry rods in their hands, which when they had done, *Joseph* brought his rod, and presently it was full of green leaves, and a Dove descending from heaven sat upon it, *Old Brev.* Upon this you need not doubt but he was pitched upon, and proceeded to espouse her, yea the very Ring he did it with, was about 1000 years after found out, and I suppose upon occasion they can find this very Rod too.

Joseph was very laborious in his trade, and as he gave a home blow at a piece of Timber with a great Ax, an Angel caught the breath, and it hath been ever since preserved in a Vial at a place near *Blois*, *saith Moli-nens.* If they would bring it into *England*, I would give a penny to see it.

April hath xxx days.

Full moon the 7 day, 10 min. past 11 in the forenoon.
 Last quarter the 14 day, 42 min. past 5 in the afternoon.
 New moon the 21 day, at 11 in the forenoon.
 First quarter the 29 day, 41 min. past 2 in the morning.

1	B. Euthymus	23	38	Leo	15	△ ○ ♄.
2	a. Euthymus	23	36		27	♄ Apogeeon.
3	B. Euthymus	24	35	Virgo	9	♄ ♄ ♄.
4	C. Euthymus	25	33		21	♄ ○ ♄.
5	D. Palm Sunday	26	32	Libra	1	Very variable
6	E. Euthymus	27	30		16	at the begin-
7	F. Euthymus	28	29		28	ning.
8	G. Euthymus	29	27	Scorp.	11	
9	H. Sun in Taur.	08	26		24	♄ ♄.
10	I. Good Friday	1	24	Sagit.	8	* ♄ ♄.
11	L. Euthymus	2	22		21	Fine pleasant
12	M. Easter day	3	20	Capr.	5	growing wea-
13	N. Euthymus	4	19		18	ther about
14	O. Euthymus	5	17	Aquar.	2	this time.
15	P. Euthymus	6	15		16	
16	Q. Euthymus	7	13	Pisces	1	♄ Perigeon.
17	R. Euthymus	8	11		14	
18	S. Euthymus	9	9		29	
19	T. Low Sunday	10	7	Aries	14	
20	U. Euthymus	11	5		28	Hasty showers
21	V. Euthymus	12	3	Taur.	12	with hail and
22	W. Euthymus	13	1		25	♄ ♄.
23	X. S. GEORGE	13	59	Gem.	9	some thunder.
24	Y. Euthymus	14	57		2	
25	Z. S. Mark Ev.	15	55	Canc.	5	
26	A. 2 after Easter	16	54		18	△ ○ ♄.
27	B. Quind Pasch.	17	51	Leo	0	
28	C. Euthymus	18	49		12	♄ ♄.
29	D. Term begins	19	4		24	♄ Apogeeon.
30	E. Q. M. 2 de n	20	44	Virgo	5	△ ♄ ♄.

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Cambridge Term ends the 3 day.

Cambridge Term begins the 22 day.

Days of the month.

Sun rising.

Sun setting.
and

1	5	14	7	Catherine, She was a very devout charita-
2	5	12	7	ble and wise woman, in a Conclave of Car-
3	5	10	7	dinals she by her arguments perswaded the
4	5	8	7	Pope to leave <i>Avignon</i> , and return to <i>Rome</i> ;
5	5	6	7	what pitty is it that her memory should be
6	5	4	7	loaded with Fictions and lyes to divert Monks:
7	5	2	7	In her Revelations (like <i>St. Bridget</i>) she used
8	5	0	7	to complain of the corrupt state of the Church,
9	4	58	8	and of the Prelates of the Church of <i>Rome</i> ,
10	4	56	8	and the Pope; she foretold the great <i>Schism</i>
11	4	54	8	in the Church, which followed and lasted 39
12	4	52	8	years, and of the great Wars and Troubles
13	4	50	8	which ensued; this made her Brother curious
14	4	48	8	to know of her what should be after that,
15	4	46	8	to whom she said, that by these tribulations
16	4	44	8	after a secret manner God should purge his
17	4	42	8	Church, and stir up the spirit of his Elect,
18	4	40	8	and after these things shall follow such a Re-
19	4	39	8	formation of the Church of God, and holy
20	4	37	8	Pastours, that the thought thereof makes
21	4	35	8	my Spirit to rejoyce in the Lord, and as I
22	4	33	8	have often told you, the Spouse which is now
23	4	32	8	deformed and ragged shall be adorned and
24	4	30	8	decked with most rich and precious Ouches
25	4	28	8	and Brouches, the faithful shall thereupon re-
26	4	27	8	joyce, and Infidels be converted to the true
27	4	25	8	Bp. of their Souls (<i>For.</i>) what pitty it is
28	4	23	8	that this is not put into their <i>Brev.</i> it might
29	4	22	8	do them them more good then her white
30	4	21	8	wounds, or smelling of Souls.

May hath xxxi days

Full moon 6 day, 45 min. past 11 at night.

Last quarter 13 day, 33 min. past 10 at night.

New moon the 20 day, 52 min past 9 at night.

First quarter 28 day, 12 min. past 8 at night.

1	h	Phil. & Jacob	21	41	Virgo	17	Indifferent
2	c	Itbanas	22	39		29	good weather
3	d	3 after Easter	23	37	Libra	11	at the beginning
4	e	Tres Pasch	24	35		24	h b p.
5	f	Whit. Supt.	25	32	Scorp.	7	Δ O h.
6	g	Joh. Port. Lat.	26	30		20	h eclipsed vis.
7	a	Joh. Beverly	27	27	Sagit.	3	
8	b	Opp. S Mich	28	25		20	
9	c	Oppinath	29	23	Capr.	1	Δ h p.
10	d	Sun in Gem.	30	21		15	
11	e	Men. Pasch	1	18		29	
12	f	Perce	2	15	Aquar.	12	Δ h p.
13	g	Perce	3	12		27	Δ h p.
14	a	Perce	4	10	Pisces	1	h Perigron.
15	b	Perce	5	7		25	
16	c	Perce	6	4	Aries	9	h b p.
17	d	Perce	7	2		23	Cold blits
18	e	Quint. Pasch	7	49	Taur.	7	and some
19	f	Perce	8	37		21	h b p.
20	g	Perce	9	34	Gem.	4	h b p.
21	a	Ascension day	10	31		18	rain
22	b	Craft. Ascen.	11	48	Canc.	0	
23	c	Perce	12	46		13	h b p.
24	d	6 after Easter	13	43		26	h b p.
25	e	Term ends	14	40	Leo	8	Fine growing
26	f	Whit. Supt.	15	37		20	h b p.
27	g	St. V.	16	35	Virgo	1	weather with
28	a	German	17	32		13	some hazy
29	b	K. Ch. 2. Nat.	18	29		27	h b p.
30	c	St. I.	19	26	Libra	7	h b p.
31	d	Whit. Sunday	20	23		29	and thunder.

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Days of the month	Sun rising.	Sun setting, and
1	4 20	8
2	4 19	8
3	4 18	8
4	4 16	8
5	4 15	8
6	4 13	8
7	4 12	8
8	4 11	8
9	4 9	8
10	4 8	8
11	4 6	8
12	4 5	8
13	4 3	8
14	4 2	8
15	4 1	8
16	3 59	9
17	3 58	9
18	3 57	9
19	3 56	9
20	3 55	9
21	3 54	9
22	3 53	9
23	3 52	9
24	3 51	9
25	3 50	9
26	3 49	9
27	3 48	9
28	3 47	9
29	3 46	9
30	3 46	9
31	3 46	9

Invent. Crucis. This hath made a great noise in the world, the best Historians say nothing of it, and the *Greek Church* hath no such Feast; the *New Brev.* hath left out the Legend of *Judas*, and what if *Queen Helen* Mother of *Constantine* did find the true Cross, must we believe that the touch of it cured a Sick woman, or raised a dead man to life? Must the Church be more burthened with the stories of it, then *Simon* was with carrying of it? must *Christ* be crucified on it again? and as often made to suffer by our Superstitious and Idolatrous behaviour towards it, as there are pieces of it? which if laid together, will according to the *Papists* account of them, load not only a *Simon*, but a whole Waggon. For some will tell you that though the *Christians* from all parts of the world resorted to *Hierusalem* for pieces of it, yet it was never a whit the less. The care of it was committed to one of the most holy of the *Priests* and produced every *Easter* to the people to be worshipped, and they that refuse this in other countries, or do but mince it, will find a load heavier then the Cross of *Christ* was.

June hath xxx days.

Full moon the 5 day, 48 min. past 9 in the forenoon.
 Last quarter the 12 day, 42 min. past 2 in the morning.
 New moon the 19 day, 32 min. past 10 in the forenoon.
 First quarter 27 day, 8 min. past noon.

1	St. John	21	20	Scorp.	2	Hot and dry
2	St. Barthol.	22	18		15	at the be-
3	Ember week	23	15		28	D ☉.
4	St. Andrew	24	12	Sagit.	10	ginning.
5	St. Peter	25	9		26	
6	St. James	26	6	Capr.	10	
7	Trinity Sun.	27	3		25	* ☊ ☋.
8	Craft. Trin.	28	0	Aquar.	9	
9	St. Edward	28	57		24	* ☋ ☋.
10	St. Barnabas	29	54	Pisces	1	D Perigzon.
11	Term begin	1	49	Aries	6	Sun in Can.
12	St. John	2	46		20	☊ ☋ ☋.
13	St. Peter	3	43	Taur.	4	Tempestuous
14	St. Andrew	4	40		17	D ☉.
15	St. James	5	37	Gem.	0	with hunder.
16	St. Barthol.	6	34		13	Good weather
17	St. Peter & Paul	7	31		26	about this time
18	St. Andrew	8	28	Canc.	9	☋ ☋ ☋.
19	St. Edward R.	9	25		21	with fine
20	St. Peter Trin.	10	22	Leo	4	☊ ☋ ☋.
21	St. James Trin.	11	19		16	☋ ☋ ☋.
22	St. John & Paul	12	16		28	showers
23	St. John Bapt.	13	13	Virgo	10	D Apogzon.
24	St. Andrew	14	10		21	
25	St. James Ep.	15	7	Libra	3	Very good
26	St. Peter	16	4		15	seasonable wea-
27	3 after Trin.	17	2		21	ther concludes
28	St. Pet. & Paul	17	59	Scorp.	10	the month.
29	St. John	18	56		23	D ☉.

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Days of the month.
Suns rising.
and
Suns setting.

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21 3 46 9
22 3 46 9
23 3 46 9
24 3 47 9
25 3 47 9
26 3 48 9
27 3 49 9
28 3 50 9
29 3 51 9
30 3 53 9

S^t Anthony of Padua, He was an *Augustin* at first, but at the sight of some bodies which had been Martyr'd, he was so inflamed with a desire of Martyrdom, that he got leave to quit them to be a *Franciscan*, He would have gone to the *Saracens* to preach, but the Ship was driven into *Sicily*, He was the first of this Order that interpreted the Scriptures, and directed them in their studies, He was so powerful a Preacher, that when some flocked together in a stormy night, He perswaded them as a piece of selfdenial, to put off their fine clothes, I should have thought the cold and the dark had been enough to have mortified them for that time. The women used to cut pieces out of his coat, and keep them for Relicks, He wrought many Miracles, and if you will believe it, still cures Feavours and Inflammations, He was made a Saint 1252. He is famous for recovering of lost goods now he is dead, as for recovering lost souls when alive, when some Heriticks would not hear him, He preached to the Fishes, who all put their heads out of the water to shew their attention.

July hath xxxi days.

Full moon the 4 day, 56 min. past 6. in the afternoon.
 Last quarter the 11 day, 54 min. past 7 before noon.
 New moon the 18 day, 52 min. past 11 at night.
 First quarter the 27 day, 56 min. past 2 in the morn.

1	h	Term ends	19	53	Sagit.	6	Hot weather
2	h	Vife Mary	20	50		10	with thunder
3	h	Barthol	21	47	Capr.	14	* ○ x.
4	h	Matthias	22	44		18	○ ○ h.
5	h	4 after Trin	23	41	Aquar.	22	Δ h x.
6	h	Oct Peter & Paul	24	39		26	begins the
7	h	Tr. & Barth.	25	36	Pisces	30	Perigee
8	h	Grat.	26	33		18	month.
9	h	Cuthbert	27	30	Aries	22	
10	h	Aug. 1st	28	27		26	
11	h	Barthol	29	24	Taur.	30	Good hay
12	h	Sun in Leo	30	22		14	weather about
13	h	Willelm	1	19		27	h x.
14	h	Barthol	2	16	Gem.	12	○ h x.
15	h	Willelm	3	13		21	this time.
16	h	Olmond	4	11	Canc.	6	
17	h	Alfred	5	8		18	* x x.
18	h	Willelm	6	5	Leo	0	
19	h	10 days beg.	7	3		12	* x x.
20	h	Willelm	8	0		24	Hasty showers
21	h	Willelm	8	57	Virgo	6	○ ○ x.
22	h	Willelm	9	55		18	Apogee
23	h	Willelm	10	52	Libra	0	and thunder.
24	h	Christiana	11	49		12	
25	h	S. James	12	47		24	Hot sultry
26	h	7 after Trin	13	44	Scorp.	6	○ x x.
27	h	Willelm	14	42		18	h x.
28	h	Felix	15	37	Sagit.	1	* ○ x.
29	h	Martha	16	36		14	weather
30	h	Willelm	17	34		29	cludes the
31	h	Willelm	18	32	Capr.	12	month.

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The 7 day is Commencement Tuesday.

Cambridge Term ends the 10 day.

Days of the month.

Saints.

Feasts.

1	3	9	Modwen, Daughter to King of
2	3	9	Ireland, came hither, built a Monastery, was
3	3	9	Abbess of a Monastery at Burton, cured many
4	3	9	diseases, raised to life St. Ofick, that had been
5	3	9	drowned in a river 3 days. M.E. She was
6	3	9	sent for into Scotland, (that each Kingdom
7	4	0	might partake of her) and left a very beau-
8	4	1	tiful young woman as Abbess in her place,
9	4	3	but her youth and beauty not becoming that
10	4	4	grave character, she girded her with her own
11	4	5	girdle, or as some say, breathed on her, and
12	4	7	she presently turned as grave and wrinkled
13	4	8	as an Old Woman, Capp. She and 3 Virgins
14	4	10	with her, wanting a passage from Ireland to
15	4	11	England, an Angel cut off the piece of land they
16	4	13	flood on, and brought them to land together,
17	4	15	and bestowed a new Island on us, in memo-
18	4	17	ry of which, she built there a Church, Capp.
19	4	19	I think this was enough to make any one a
20	4	21	Saint.
21	4	22	
22	4	24	
23	4	26	
24	4	27	
25	4	30	
26	4	30	
27	4	32	
28	4	33	
29	4	35	
30	4	37	
31	4	39	

August hath xxxi days.

Full moon the 3 day, 35 min. past 1 in the morning.
 Last quarter the 9 day, 36 min. past 2 in the afternoon.
 New moon the 17 day, 10 min. past 3 in the afternoon.
 First quarter the 25 day, 15 min. past 4 in the afternoon.

1	Lemna day	19	30	Capr.	27	Good weather
2	8 after Trin.	20	27	Aquar.	12	and moderate
3	Invent. Sep.	21	25		27	as to heat.
4	Domitius	22	22	Pisces	12	D Perigzon.
5	St. niva	23	19		27	h d.
6	St. Ep.	24	18	Aries	12	
7	Tran. Christi	25	15		27	
8	Carissus	26	12	Taur.	10	h v.
9	9 after Trin.	27	11		24	* d q.
10	S. Lawrence	28	9	Gem.	7	
11	Libanus	29	7		20	
12	Sun in Virgo	30	5	Canc.	3	Windy with
13	St. Ursula	1	3		12	storms of hail
14	St. Ursula	2	0		27	or rain, and
15	St. Ursula	3	58	Leo	9	some Thun-
16	10 after Trin.	4	56		21	der.
17	St. Ursula	5	54	Virgo	3	
18	St. Ursula	6	53		12	D. Anogzon.
19	St. Ursula	7	51		27	
20	St. Ursula	8	49	Libra	9	
21	St. Ursula	9	47		29	Good harvest
22	St. Ursula	10	45	Scorp.	3	weather.
23	11 after Trin.	11	43		15	o o q.
24	S. Bartholom.	12	42		27	D o.
25	St. Ursula	13	40	Sagit.	10	* d q.
26	St. Ursula	14	38		23	
27	Dog days end	15	36	Capr.	7	Hot and dry
28	St. Ursula	16	35		21	about this
29	Decol. J. Bapt.	17	33	Aquar.	5	time.
30	12 after Trin.	18	32		20	Δ h q.
31	St. Ursula	19	30	Pisces	5	D Perigzon.

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Days of the month.

Sun rising.

Sun setting.

Dominick, he died on the 6th, but that day being taken up with other Saints, his Anniversary was fixed on the fourth, which we will not quarrel with them about, if they will not force us to believe that he had a Revelation, that Christ was just coming to destroy the World for its Wickedness, but his Mother stopped him, and said that S. *Dominick* and S. *Francis* would reform it, and was not that kindly and seasonably done of the Virgin Mary, surely this will win the Hereticks to worship her; but if they did reform the world, which still is very full of wickedness, what was it before they reformed it? Why should *Reformation* be such a Bugbear to that Church? *Katherine of Sienna* had a vision wherein she saw God producing Christ out of his mother, and *Dominick* out of his breast, the Author is astonished at this, and I believe so is every one that hears it. The Devil once appeared to *Dominick* in the shape of a Monkey, and he bid him hold his hands instead of a save-all, and made him hold it till it burnt off one of his great toes. I tell you this that when you see the Devil, you may know him as well by this as by his cloven foot. He once tyed a Rosary about the Devils neck, and then he was forced to confess that no one who continued the use of the Rosary should go to Hell, and was not that a notable discovery to keep people out of Hell?

September hath xxx days.

Full moon the 1 day, 21 min. past 9 in the forenoon.
 Last quarter the 8 day, 17 min. past 5 in the morn.
 New moon the 16 day, 46 min. past 7 in the morning.
 First quarter the 24 day, 29 min. past 3 in the morning.
 Full moon the 30 day, 52 min. past 5 in the afternoon.

1	Sept. 1	19	29	Pisces	21	☉	☽	6.48
2	Sept. 2	20	27	Aries	22	☉	☽	6.44
3	Sept. 3	21	26		23	☉	☽	6.40
4	Sept. 4	22	24	Taur.	24	☉	☽	6.36
5	Sept. 5	23	23		25	☉	☽	6.32
6	Sept. 6	24	22	Gem.	26	☉	☽	6.28
7	Sept. 7	25	20		27	☉	☽	6.24
8	Sept. 8	26	19	Canc.	28	☉	☽	6.20
9	Sept. 9	27	18		29	☉	☽	6.16
10	Sept. 10	28	17	Leo	30	☉	☽	6.12
11	Sept. 11	29	16			☉	☽	6.08
12	Sept. 12	30	15	Virgo		☉	☽	6.04
13	Sept. 13	1	14			☉	☽	6.00
14	Sept. 14	2	13	Libra		☉	☽	5.56
15	Sept. 15	3	12			☉	☽	5.52
16	Sept. 16	4	11	Scorp.		☉	☽	5.48
17	Sept. 17	5	10			☉	☽	5.44
18	Sept. 18	6	9	Sagit.		☉	☽	5.40
19	Sept. 19	7	8	Capr.		☉	☽	5.36
20	Sept. 20	8	7			☉	☽	5.32
21	Sept. 21	9	6	Aquar.		☉	☽	5.28
22	Sept. 22	10	5			☉	☽	5.24
23	Sept. 23	11	4	Pisces		☉	☽	5.20
24	Sept. 24	12	3			☉	☽	5.16
25	Sept. 25	13	2	Aries		☉	☽	5.12
26	Sept. 26	14	1			☉	☽	5.08
27	Sept. 27	15	0	Pisces		☉	☽	5.04
28	Sept. 28	16	0			☉	☽	5.00
29	Sept. 29	17	0	Aries		☉	☽	4.56
30	Sept. 30	18	1			☉	☽	4.52

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Starbridge Fair begins the 8 day.

Lupo, as he was officiating and many of his Clergy present, a Jewel fell from Heaven

into the Challice, faith Baron. was not this a

fine token of Gods favour to him? yet could

not this discourage the Devil from troubling

him, for as he was onenight singing, the De-

vil afflicted him with a great smart, and cal-

ling to have his Pitcher filled with water, the

Devil fell a playing about the mouth of it,

at last he took his opportunity and shewed

him into the Pitcher and clapt a Cusston

signed with the sign of the Cross upon it,

and there kept him prisoner all night, Sur. I

hope he came there no more.

Nativ. of V. M. was for some time observed

without an Offave, till after the death of

Greg. 9. the Cardinals being long, but up

without agreeing upon a Successor, at last some

Cardinals vowed to the Queen of Heaven,

that if through her merits they could come to

an agreement, they would for the future ob-

serve her Offave, they then presently disagreed

upon Celestine, but he not living above 18

days, they could not fulfill their vow, which

Innocent the IV. who came next did, by In-

fluencing the observation of it, Durand. 1. 1. 2. 1.

not thus look as if they took her for a miser

Woman still? and know how to please her,

with the Pomp of a new holyday.

Days of the month.

Sun rising.

Sun setting.

and

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October hath xxxi days

Last quarter the 7 day, 23 min. past 9 at night.
 New moon the 15 day, 36 min. past 11 at night.
 First quarter the 23 day, 52 min. past noon.
 Full moon the 30 day, 30 min. past 4 in the morning.

1	a	Remigius	19	0	Aries	29	6	♂ ♀.
2	b	Reobryar	20	0	Aur.	14	0	h.
3	c	Comdian	21	0		28	0	h.
4	d	17 after Trin.	21	59	Gem.	12		Cloudy and
5	e	Agustia	22	29		29		cool at the
6	f	17	23	59	Canc.	8		beginning.
7	g	Marcellus, &c.	24	59		21		
8	h	Delagla	25	58	Leo	3	*	h. ♀.
9	i	Domitius	26	58		15		
10	j	16	27	58		27		Good weather
11	k	18 after Trin.	28	58	Virgo	9		Darkness
12	l	18	29	58		20		the season
13	m	19	0	58	Libra	2		considered.
14	n	19	1	58		14		
15	o	20	2	58		26		
16	p	20	3	58	Scorp.	9	*	h. ♀.
17	q	21	4	59		21		
18	r	21	5	59	Sagit.	4		Windy with
19	s	22	6	59		17		wet.
20	t	22	7	59	Capr.	0		
21	u	23	8	59		13	*	h. ♂.
22	v	23	9	59		27		
23	w	24	10	59	Aquar.	11		
24	x	24	11	59		21		Tempestuous
25	y	25	12	59	Pisces	9		Pengoon.
26	z	25	13	59		29		with some rain
27	a	26	14	59	Aries	8		or snow.
28	b	26	15	59		23		
29	c	27	16	59	Taur.	7		Dark & vis.
30	d	27	17	59		28		
31	e	28	18	59	Gem.	6	♂ ♀ ♀.	

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Days of the month.

Sun rising.

Sun setting.

Cambridge Term begins the 10 day, and then the Proctors, Tutors and Senators are chosen. Magna Congregatio, or the Black Assembly on the 13 day.

1	6	41	6	
2	6	43	6	
3	6	45	6	
4	6	47	6	
5	6	49	6	
6	6	50	6	
7	6	52	6	
8	6	54	6	
9	6	56	6	
10	6	58	6	
11	7	0	5	
12	7	2	5	
13	7	4	5	
14	7	6	5	
15	7	8	5	
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23	7	22	5	
24	7	24	5	
25	7	26	5	
26	7	27	5	
27	7	29	5	
28	7	30	5	
29	7	32	5	
30	7	33	5	
31	7	35	5	

Colman, born of the Scottish race in Ireland and sometime Bishop of Lindisferne, converted Dend King of Mercia, and then went into Germany to make converts, where he was slain. E. M. I don't find where it was, but it seems he planted a tree somewhere, and what would some give to know it? a piece of which being carried about will secure from the most eminent danger of Death, insomuch that one being to be hanged had got a bit of it in his mouth, and after he was cut down, he came to life again, he was hanged 3, 20, and 3 time, but did not die, till some Spanish rogue inspecting (and hang me if I should have imagined) the cause of it, found the piece of wood, and so the poor man was forced to yield up the Ghost, Colman.

This story I confess is fit enough for my purpose, but yet it vexes me to find such silly stuff affixed to the memory of so good a man, who bravely opposed Wilfred for bringing in the confure and observation of Easter, and other ceremonies of the Romanists: his speech you have in Speed p. 328. which is worth the reading and his whole behaviour in that contest worth the observation.

November hath xxx days.

Last quarter the 6 day, 31 min. past 4 in the afternoon.
 New moon the 14 day, 12 min. past 5 at night.
 First quarter the 21 day, 16 min. past 8 at night.
 Full moon the 28 day, 22 min. past 5 at night.

1	St. Andrew	20	4	Gem.	20	
2	St. Cuthbert	21	5	Cancer	21	* O h.
3	St. Eustachius	22	6		22	Mild weather
4	St. Fiacre	23	6		23	for the season.
5	St. Giles	24	7	Leo	24	
6	St. Hubert	25	8		25	
7	St. Ignace	26	9	Virgo	26	
8	St. John the Baptist	27	9		27	Apogee
9	St. Lawrence	28	10		28	* O h.
10	St. Martin	29	11	Libra	29	* O h.
11	St. Michael	30	12		30	
12	St. Nicholas	1	13	Scorp.	1	Variable, with
13	St. Patrick	2	14		2	snow or rain
14	St. Peter	3	15	Sagit.	3	about this
15	St. Simon	4	16		4	* O h.
16	St. Thomas	5	17		5	time
17	St. Vincent	6	18	Capri.	6	
18	St. Andrew	7	19		7	
19	St. Barbara	8	20	Aquar.	8	
20	St. Boniface	9	21		9	D Perigee
21	St. Clement	10	22	Pisces	10	
22	St. Crispin	11	23		11	Dark gloomy
23	St. Eusebius	12	24	Aries	12	weather, and
24	St. Felix	13	25		13	windy with
25	St. Gerard	14	26	Taur.	14	* O h.
26	St. Hilary	15	27		15	cold rain or
27	St. John	16	28	Gem.	16	snow towards
28	St. John the Evangelist	17	29		17	the end.
29	St. John the Baptist	18	30		18	
30	St. John the Evangelist	19	31	Cancer	19	* O h.

November 1696.

The Vice-Chancellour lays down his Office the 3^d day.

St. Edmond, King of East Angles, he was o-

Days of the month.	Sun rising.	Sun setting.	and
1	7 37	5	vercome by the Danes, and rather then hazard
2	7 39	5	so many of his Subjects in another battel, he
3	7 41	5	chose to retire to a Church and fall to his
4	7 43	5	prayers, where he was seized, and tying him
5	7 45	5	to a tree, first whipt him, then pierced him
6	7 47	5	with their darts till there was no place for a
7	7 47	5	new wound; It seems they would have had
8	7 51	5	him renounced his Religion, but he still cal-
9	7 52	5	led upon Christ, till they cut off his head,
10	7 54	5	and so he became a Martyr. They threw his
11	7 55	5	head into a thicket of a wood that the Chri-
12	7 57	5	tians might not find it, and there it lay for
13	7 58	5	a year, and then many going to look for it
14	7 59	5	in several places of the wood, they all heard
15	8 00	5	it say here, here, here, and when they came
16	8 01	5	to it, they found a great Wolfe guarding it
17	8 02	5	in his 2 paws from wild beasts, but civilly
18	8 03	5	yielding it up to them, and attended the pro-
19	8 04	5	cession to the place where they buried it, af-
20	8 05	5	terwards he returned to the Woods, not of-
21	8 06	5	fering to molest any body nor they him, (it
22	8 07	5	would have been very ungrateful) as for the
23	8 08	5	Kings body, it was found uncorrupted after 50
24	8 09	5	years saith Mr. Cressy, and from thence proves
25	8 10	5	him to have been a Virgin, may his body was
26	8 11	5	not only uncorrupted, but his head was joyn-
27	8 12	5	ed to it, as if it had never been separated, and
28	8 13	5	no sign of any of his wounds to be seen.
29	8 14	5	He was Translated to the Town from him
30	8 15	5	now called Bury, if you will believe it.

December hath xxxi days

1st quarter the 6 day, 42 min. past noon.

New moon the 14 day, 4 min. past 8 in the morning.

First quarter the 21 day, 49 min. past 3 in the morning.

Fall moon the 28 day, 49 min. past 8 in the morning.

1	Daniel	20	33	Canc.	24	Very good
2	Lebanus	21	34	Leo	7	weather for
3	Galina	22	35		19	* O X.
4	Barbara	23	37	Virgo	1	the season.
5	Sabaa	24	38		13	
6	2 sun. in Adv.	25	39		25	D Apogzon.
7	Simone	26	40	Libra	6	☿ ♀ ♀.
8	Concep. B.V.	27	42		18	♂ ♀ ♀.
9	Gratia	28	43	Scorp.	0	
10	Wesl. sub.	29	44		13	D ♀.
11	sun in Capr.	0	45		26	Now inclining
12	Elmuth	1	47	Sagit.	8	☿ ♀ ♂.
13	3 sun. in Adv.	2	48		22	to frost.
14	Oliv. Vir.	3	49	Capr.	5	♂ ♀ ♂.
15	Batistam	4	51		19	
16	Ember week	5	52	Aquar.	4	O-Sapientia.
17	Kyrius	6	53		18	
18	St. Eustas.	7	54	Pisces	2	* X ♀.
19	Lory	8	56		16	Windy and
20	4 sun. in Adv.	9	57	Aries	1	cold, with
21	S. Thomas	10	58		15	D Perigzon.
22	30 Mart	12	0		29	some wet.
23	St. Paul	13	1	Taur.	12	
24	John & Elizabeth	14	2		26	D ♀.
25	Christmas day	15	3	Gem.	10	
26	S. Stephen	16	4		23	
27	S. John	17	5	Canc.	6	Close dark
28	St. Innocents	18	6		19	weather, and
29	Isaiah	19	7	Leo	2	some snow.
30	St. Andrew	20	9		15	about this time.
31	St. Silvester	21	11		27	

December. 1696.

Cambridge Term ends the 16 day.

Days of the month.	Sun and Sun rising	Sun setting
1	8 14	4
2	8 15	4
3	8 15	4
4	8 16	4
5	8 16	4
6	8 16	4
7	8 16	4
8	8 17	4
9	8 17	4
10	8 17	4
11	8 17	4
12	8 17	4
13	8 17	4
14	8 17	4
15	8 16	4
16	8 16	4
17	8 16	4
18	8 15	4
19	8 15	4
20	8 15	4
21	8 14	4
22	8 14	4
23	8 13	4
24	8 12	4
25	8 11	4
26	8 10	4
27	8 9	4
28	8 8	4
29	8 7	4
30	8 6	4
31	9 4	4

Birinus, sent by *Honorius* to preach to the *West-Saxons*, was kindly received, and the place assigned for him was *Dorchester* in *Oxford-shire*, where he was buried, but after he was translated to *Winchester*, which in after ages caused a scurrilous controversy betwixt those Churches, *Bede* testifies for *Winchester*, another swears that in his hearing, one of the *Cannons* of *Dorchester* protested that in a vision a certain man appeared to him, and directed him to the place in their Church where *Birinus's* body lay, and there they found it, with 1. Stools, a Cross, and a Chalice; and if this won't satisfy you, they will tell you how a Young man Deaf and Dumb, was directed to repair thither to *Birinus's* sepulcher, and in three days time spake French and English perfectly well, nay I can give to the bargain, the restoring sight to the blind, cleansing 2 Lepers, raising 2 dead bodies, this evidence being so clear, they began to think *Bede* might mistake *Berinus* for *Birinus*, and tho' this was suggested by a miraculous voice, the *Winchestrians* would not yield. The thing was brought before the Pope, but the difficulty was so great he left it undecided, saith *Cressy*. He was not for saying the body was in both places (tho' we have given instances of that) but he might have said each might have a part, and saved the credit of his infallibility, and prevented further wrangling about it, which who knows what mischief it did?

Dove 1696.

A Royal Table in a more exact manner

The Year, Month, and Day, (accounting the Year to begin Jan. 1.) whereon every King and Queen of Eng. since the Conquest began their reign.				The number of Years, Months, and Days, that every K. and Q. reigned 28 ds. to a month.				The num. of Y. expired in this Y. since they began to reign: as also since they ended.		
K. W. Conq.	1066	Octob.	14. 20	y	11	m	22	d	630	K. W. Conq.
W. Rufus	1087	Sept.	9. 12	y	11	m	18	d	609	W. Rufus
Henry	1100	August	1. 35	y	4	m	11	d	596	Henry
Steven	1135	Decem.	2. 18	y	11	m	18	d	561	Steven
Henry	1154	Octob.	25. 34	y	7	m	2	d	543	Henry
Richard	1189	July	6. 9	y	9	m	0	d	527	Richard
John	1199	April	6. 17	y	7	m	0	d	497	John
Henry	1216	Octob.	19. 56	y	1	m	0	d	474	Henry
Edward	1272	Nov.	16. 34	y	8	m	6	d	430	Edward
Edward	1307	July	7. 19	y	7	m	9	d	389	Edward
Edward	1327	Jan.	25. 50	y	5	m	7	d	369	Edward
Richard	1377	June	21. 22	y	3	m	14	d	319	Richard
Henry	1399	Sept.	29. 13	y	6	m	3	d	257	Henry
Henry	1413	March	20. 9	y	5	m	24	d	283	Henry
Henry	1422	August	31. 38	y	6	m	16	d	274	Henry
Edward	1461	March	4. 22	y	1	m	8	d	215	Edward
Edward	1483	April	9. 0	y	2	m	18	d	113	Edward
Richard	1483	June	22. 2	y	2	m	5	d	213	Richard
Henry	1485	August	22. 23	y	10	m	24	d	211	Henry
Henry	1509	April	22. 37	y	10	m	2	d	187	Henry
Edward	1547	Jan.	23. 6	y	5	m	19	d	149	Edward
Q. Mary	1553	July	6. 5	y	4	m	22	d	143	Q. Mary
Q. Elizabeth	1558	Nov.	17. 44	y	4	m	15	d	138	Q. Elizabeth
James	1603	March	24. 22	y	0	m	3	d	94	James
Charles	1625	March	27. 22	y	10	m	3	d	71	Charles
Charles	1648	Jan.	30. 36	y	0	m	0	d	47	Charles
James	1685	Febr.	6. 4	y	0	m	0	d	11	James
William	1688	Febr.	13	Whom God grant long to Reign.				d	7	James

The Use of the Table is Example.

King Henry 8 began his Reign in the Year of Christ 1509, April 23. He Reigned 37 Years, 10 months, and 2 days. It is since he began his Reign 187 years compleat the 22 of April this year 1696. Now to know the time since the end of his Reign, before his name standing on the right hand, you shall there find 149 Years since he died, Jan. 28. And so of the rest.

Dove

Dove 1696.

The latter part of this

ALMANACK

For the year of our

Lord God 1696

Being the Bissextile or Leap-year.

Wherein are contained the Eclipses,

the Sun's entrance into the 4 Cardinal Signs.

A Tide Table, with a Natural and Rational

Account of Astrology. A Table of Weights

and Measures both *English* and *Forreign*, and

of *Forreign* Coins, also Tables of Reversion

for Renewing and Purchasing of the Leases of

Cathedral Churches and Colleges, with other

usefull Things and Tables.

*Quoniam videbo Celos tuos opera digitorum tuorum
Lunam & Stellas qua tu fundasti, quid est
homo, quod memores ejus & aut filius hominis, quo-
nam visitas eum, Psal. 8. 3.*

C A M B R I D G E.

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*The Eclipses that will happen in the year 1696.
are as followeth.*

There will be but two Visible Eclipses, and those both of the Moon. There will be likewise two of the Sun, but Invisible to us here in England.

The first Eclipse of the Moon will happen on May the 6 day, about midnight; in 27 degrees of the Martial Sign *Scorpio*; the Moon loseth her light on the very Cusp of the Angle of Honour, it will be a total Eclipse, and visible if the Air be clear.

The second October 30 day, about 4 in the morning, and is Celebrated in 18 degrees of *Taurus*, this also will be a great, visible and total Eclipse, and happens in the 3 Angle of the Heavens. The Moon will be Eclipsed exactly in her Southern Node.

A famous Conjunction of *Saturn* and *Mars* will happen on the 14 of *December*, in 26 degrees of *Capricorn*, the effects thereof I leave to time, and those whose Curiosity leads them to shew it to the world.

The Suns entrance into the four Cardinal Signs.

He enters γ , *March* the 10th day, 6 minutes past 5 at night, and then begins our Spring Quarter.

He enters ♋ , *June* the 12th, 36 minutes past 6 at night, and then begins our Summer Quarter.

He enters ♏ , *September* the 13th, 34 minutes past 10 at night, and then begins our Autumn.

He enters ♐ , *December* the 12th, 26 min. past 3 in the afternoon, and then begins our Winter Quarter.

Dove 1696.

A Table whereby you may find the time of highwater at many Havens in and about England, and how many hours and minutes are to be added to the time of the Moons coming to the South for the time of high water, and likewise what Moon makes a full Sea at those Havens.

South and North	Quinborough, Southampton, Portf-Ho.M mouth, Isle of Wight, Spits; Kentish- knock.															0	0
S. by w.	Rochester, Malden, Aberdeen, Redband.															0	45
S. S. w.	Gravesen. Downs, Ramey, Tenner, Silly.															1	30
S. w. by S	Dundee, S. Andr, S. Lucas, Bellisle, HolyIsl.															2	15
S. w.	Lond. Tinmout. Hartpool, Whitebay, Amf.															3	0
S. w. by w.	Barwic, Flambrough-h. Bridlington-bay.															3	45
W. S. w.	Scarboroug, Severn, Mounts-bay, Kingsale.															4	30
W. by S.	Newcast. Humber, Falmouth, Dartmont.															5	15
E. and w	Plimouth, Weymou. Hull, Lyn, Antwerp.															6	0
E. by S.	Bristol. Foulness at the start.															6	45
E. S. E.	Milford, Bridgew. Landsen. Waterford.															7	30
SE. by E.	Portlan. Peterport, Harflew, Hague, Dubl.															8	15
S. E.	Pool, S. Hellen, Orkney, Carnes, Man-Isle,															9	0
SE. by S.	Needles, Laifo, North & South forelands															9	45
S. S. E.	Yarmout, Dover, Harwich, Calice-Road.															10	30
S. by E.	Ry, Winchelsey, Gorce, Thames, Rhodes.															11	15
Moons	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Moon	
age	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	age	

South	12	1	2	3	4	4	5	6	7	8	8	9	10	11	12	H.
at	48	36	24	12	0	48	36	24	12	0	48	36	24	12	0	M.

The Tide Table Explained.

IN the first Column you have the point of the Compass to the which the Moon coming maketh full Sea at those Havens mentioned in the second Column, and in the third Column are the hours and minutes to be added to the time of the Moons southing. I shall make it plain by an example.

Dove 1696.

The 14th of February, this Year 1696. I would know at what hour it will be full Sea at London-bridge. First I find the Moons age in the former part of the Almanack, (accounting it from the Change) to be 21 days old, which age I find at the bottom of the Tide table, and under the same 4 hours 48 min. the time of the Moons coming to the South; then finding in the first Column that a South-west Moon makes full Sea at London, I add to her southing 3 hours as is shewed in the last Column, and it makes 7 hours, 48 min. at night, the time of full Sea at London-Bridge; also observe that when the Moon cometh to the contrary (or North-east) point it is there full Sea again. Note, that Land floods, Spring-tides, and contrary winds, make it sooner or later about an hour.

Supposing that there are some that do not understand the part of the body, that is governed by the several signs, I thought it not amiss to explain a little the meaning of the signs, viz. in the fifth Column on the left hand page in the former part of this Almanack. Aries, head and face, Taurus, neck and throat, Cancer, breast and stomach, Virgo, bowels and belly, Scorpio secret members, Capricorn the knees, Gemini Arms and shoulders, Leo heart and back, Libra Reins and Loyns, Sagitarius the thighs, Aquarius the legs, Pisces the feet.

For the better understanding of the sixth Column, observe the Characters of the seven Planets; ♄ Saturn, ♃ Jupiter, ♂ Mars, ☉ Sol, ♀ Venus, ☿ Mercury, ☾ Luna. The five aspects, ☿ a Conjunction, * Sextil, ☿ Quartil, Δ Trine. ☿ Opposition, as also ♀ Dragons head, ☿ Dragons tail.

Dove 1896.

*A most natural and rational account of
Astrology.*

Astrology (as it is defined by some) is the language or Influence of the Stars, by whose motions and various Configurations is manifested and foreseen the intents of Gods providence in the several mutations that happen in the world in general, and more particularly towards men.

The subjects of Astrology are the Four principal Qualities, (as they are derived, and do proceed from the first principles of the Universe) *viz.* Heat, Cold, Drought, and Moisture, and all things that are compounded of them.

The use and end of Astrology, is to discover and make manifest the causes of those Mutations and Accidents that happen in general, as Dearth, Plenty, &c.

The parts of Astrology are chiefly two, *viz.* Theorick and Practick. The Theorick part (which is more properly called Astronomy) is that which by certain Mathematical Demonstrations, and Figures, represents to us the various Motions, Places, Magnitudes, Distances and Proportions one to another, with all other Phenomena or appearance of the Stars.

The Practick part, is that which from the knowledge of the aforesaid Motions, Configurations, &c. of the Stars judgeth of their Effects; and this is that which most properly of it self is called Astrology, or the Influence of the Stars.

Neither can it be void of a third Division, and that is Physical, by which is demonstrated their occult Virtues and Natures, and by what means they come to have such Various Motions, Distances, Passions, &c. from which such variety of Effects do proceed, as also hereby is shewed by what means they differ in quality among them.

themselves, by which means they produce most forcible Effects upon some particular Objects.

Of the Stars, some are termed Fixed, and some wandring or Planets.

THE Fixed Stars are those that are placed in their several Constellations or Asterisms, having equal distances, at all times one from another: their Latitude being always the same, and by the Anticipation of the *Æquinoxes*, seem to have only a slow motion in Longitude, viz. 5 seconds in a year, which is only 1 degree 23' 20" in 100 years.

A Constellation is a certain number of Fixed Stars collected into a certain form, either for that the Stars in those places are of the nature of that Creature in the form of which they are placed, or because they only make the form of such a Creature.

Of these Constellations there are three divisions, viz. Zodiacal, Northern, and Southern Constellations. The most principal are those which are termed Zodiacal, because they are placed upon that Circle of the Sphere so called.

And these are called Signs because from them is measured in Longitude the place of all the Stars, whether Fixed or wandring, hence any Star is said to be in such a Degree, &c. of such a Sign.

The Northern and Southern Constellations are so formed, because they are placed either North or South of those in the Zodiack, and the further North or South they decline, or are placed from this Circle, they are of the less consideration in Astrological Judgments. And as the difference is in the several Constellations themselves, so it is likewise in the Fixed Stars therein placed,

seed, and this difference ariseth either in respect of Latitude or place.

In respect of Magnitude, the Ancients have distinguished them into Six, viz. Stars of the first Magnitude, second Magnitude, Third Magnitude, Fourth Magnitude, Fifth Magnitude, Sixth Magnitude.

In respect of place, those that are placed in the Zodiac, and nearest to the middle thereof (which is a Line called *via Solis*, and the Ecliptick) are of Chiefest signification, yet not rejecting such as are vortical in position in respect of time and place.

The wandering Stars are those commonly termed Planets *ab erratione* from wandering too, and from their several Spheres, in which they are placed at their creation.

They are said to be wandering in respect of their motion either in Longitude or Latitude; in Longitude sometimes they seem (to us) to move direct or forward, sometimes Retrograde or backward, sometimes Stationary or move not at all, sometimes they are swifter in motion, sometimes slower, according to their distance from the Earth.

They are said likewise to wander in respect of Latitude, for sometimes they are more Northward of the Ecliptick, sometimes more Southward, and sometimes they are just in the Ecliptick, and so have no Latitude at all.

And as this difference of motion is proper to all the Planets in general, so likewise they vary in proportion one to another, for some of them are of slower motion, some of more swift, according to their distance from their Centers, and their Circumference of their Spheres in which they move.

The Signs are so many Constellations placed upon a great Circle of the Sphere, which for distinction sake

do take denomination of such Creatures as they represent in Form or Nature.

They are in number 12, each containing 30 degrees in Longitude, the whole Circle containing 360 degrees, but in this respect they are to be considered two ways, viz. either in respect of their division upon the Ecliptick, or in their proper Constellations.

They are reckoned in the Ecliptick from the Vernal Equinoctial or beginning of *Aries*, which is a point to which when a Planet comes he hath an equal Arch of Day and Night, and when the Sun or Earth comes to that point, Days and Nights are of equal length: but the Constellations as they have a different beginning, so they have a various and unequal division, so that the first Zodiacal Constellation in this Age, begins about the 18th degree of the first Sign, viz. γ , and so they annually make their progression as aforesaid, viz. 1 degree and 23' in 100 years.

The 12 Signs are appropriated to the 12 months of the year, for that the Sun every month passeth through one Sign, viz. 30 degrees, and such a month is called a Solar month, and thus are they also divided into four parts, answering to the Four Quarters of the year, and the Four divisions of Mans Age.

Aries, γ , Π , are appropriated to the Spring Quarter, beginning at γ the first Sign, and in this our Age attributed to the first month of the Year, viz. *March*, and so the other two Signs to the other two months of *April* and *May*; as to Mans Age, this first division both of Signs and Quarters is attributed to, and hath con-
signification with our Youth.

Σ , Ω , ν , are appropriated to the Summer Quarter, viz. *June*, *July* and *August*, and in mans Age to manhood. I would have writ more, but that I wanted room.

Of Weights and Measures.

Of Troy Weight.

Apothecaries Weight.

24 Grains	} MAKE	1 Peny w.	20 Grains	} MAKE	1 Scruple.
20 Peny weig.		1 Ounce.	3 Scruples		1 Dram.
12 Ounces		1 po. Troy	8 Drams		1 Ounce.
			12 Ounces		1 Pound.

Of *Averdupois* Weight, a Pound whereof is equal to 14 Ounces, 12 peny weight *Troy*; by which Weight is weighed any thing which beareth the Name of Garbel in this kind of weight.

28 Poand	} MAKE	1 Quarter.
16 Drams		4 Quarters
16 Ounces		20 Hundreds
		1 Tun.

Of Liquid Measure

Dry Measure.

2 Pints	} MAKE	1 Quart.	2 Gallons	} MAKE	1 Peck.
2 Quarts		1 Pottle.	4 Pecks		1 Bushel
2 Pottles		1 Gallon			land meas
8 Gallons		1 Firkin of Ale, Sope, Herrings	5 Pecks		1 Bushel
			8 Bushels		wat. meas.
9 Gallons		1 Firkin of Beer.	4 Quarters		1 Quarter.
			5 Quarters		1 Cholder.
10 Gall	} MAKE	1 Firkin of Salmon or Eels			1 Wey.
2 Firkins		1 Kilderkin			
2 Kilderk.		1 Barrel.			
4 Gallons		1 Tierce of Wine.			
6 Gallons		1 Hoghead			
2 Hogsh.		1 pipe, Butt.			

Long Measure.

3 Barly Corns	} MAKE	1 Inch.
12 Inches		1 foot.
3 feet		1 Yard.
3 feet 9 Inth.		1 Ell.
6 feet		1 fathom
5 yards and $\frac{1}{2}$		1 Pole.
4 Poles		1 furlong.
8 furlongs		1 En. mile

Land Measure.

Cloth Measure.

1 Pole in breadth and 40 in length make a Rood of Land.	} MAKE	4 Nails	1 Quarter.
4 Roods make an Acre, which contains 160 square Pole.		4 Quarters	1 Yard.
		5 Quarters	1 Ell.
		3 Quarters	1 Ell Flem.

The value of Forreign Coins in
English money.

Weights & Measures mentioned
in Scripture.

	lb.	sh.	d.	
Hebrew Talent in Gold	4500	0	0	A Shekel in weight a
Hebrew Talent in Silver	375	0	0	$\frac{1}{4}$ of an Ounce.
Alexandrian Talent	375	0	0	Sackel of the San-
Egyptian Talent	250	0	0	Guary $\frac{1}{2}$ an ounce.
Babylonian Talent	218	15	0	A Talent 62 pounds.
Assick Talent	187	10	0	A Pound 12 ounces.
sestertium of Rome	7	16	3	A Mules burthen
A shekel	0	2	6	200 weight.
Argenteus	0	2	6	A Log half a pint.
A Drachma	0	0	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	A Hin 3 quarts.
A Rubble	0	13	4	A Bath 9 Gallons 3
A Sultany	0	7	6	quarts.
A Ducat	0	6	8	A Pot or Sextary, a
A French Crown	0	6	6	pint and an half.
A Xeriffe	0	6	0	A Measure or Choe-
A Rix Doller	0	4	8	nix, a quart.
A Floren	0	3	0	A Firkin 4 Gallons
A Frank	0	2	0	and an half.
A Livre at Paris	0	1	6	A Kab, a quart.
A Gilder	0	2	0	An Omer 3 pints &
A Spanish Real	0	0	6	an half.
A Sous	0	0	19	A Measure or Seah
A Turkish Asper	0	0	19	a gallon & an half.
A Maravidis	0	0	09	An Ephah, half a Bu-
				shel and Pot cle.
				Half Homer or Le-
				thec, 7 bush. & quart.

5 Stivers are equal to 6 pence Sterling, 6 Stivers are a Flemish Shilling, 20 Stivers or Solds Turnois make a Gilder, and 120 Stivers make a Livre or pound Flemish, which is reckoned equal to 12 shillings Sterling. The Ducatoons are equal to 10 Dutch shillings or 60 Stivers; Patatoons are equal to 48 Stivers or 8 Dutch Shillings, 8 Doits make a Stiver. The weight called a Quintal is 104 pound, in some places 108.

Dove 1696.

A plain and easie Table shewing the true Interest
due upon any Sum of Money from five Shillings to
an Hundred Pounds, for a Year or under, after
the rate of Six Pounds in the Hundred.

		1 month.			3 months			6 months			9 months			A Year.		
		sh.	p.	q.	sh.	p.	q.	sh.	p.	q.	sh.	p.	q.	sh.	p.	q.
Shil.	5	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	3	0	1	2	0	3	2
	10	0	0	2	0	1	3	0	3	2	0	5	0	0	7	0
	15	0	0	3	0	2	2	0	5	1	0	8	2	0	10	2
	1	0	1	0	0	3	2	0	7	0	0	10	2	1	2	1
Pounds.	2	0	2	1	0	7	0	1	2	1	1	9	1	2	4	2
	3	0	3	2	0	10	2	1	9	1	2	7	3	3	6	3
	4	0	4	3	1	2	1	3	4	2	3	6	3	4	9	0
	5	0	6	0	1	6	0	3	0	0	4	6	0	6	0	0
	6	0	7	0	1	9	2	3	7	0	5	4	2	7	2	1
	7	0	8	1	2	1	0	4	2	1	6	3	1	8	4	2
	8	0	9	2	2	4	2	4	9	1	7	1	3	9	6	3
	9	0	10	3	2	8	1	4	2	8	0	3	10	9	0	0
	10	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	6	0	0	9	0	0	12	0
Pens of Pounds.	20	0	2	0	0	6	0	0	12	0	0	18	0	1	4	0
	30	0	3	0	0	9	0	0	18	0	1	7	0	1	16	0
	40	0	4	0	0	12	0	1	4	0	1	16	0	2	8	0
	50	0	5	0	0	15	0	1	10	0	2	5	0	3	0	0
	60	0	6	0	0	18	0	1	16	0	2	14	0	3	12	0
	70	0	7	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	3	3	0	4	4	0
	80	0	8	0	1	4	0	2	8	0	3	12	0	4	16	0
	90	0	9	0	1	7	0	2	14	0	4	1	0	5	8	0
	100	0	10	0	1	10	0	3	0	0	4	10	0	6	0	0

Find the Principal in the first Column, and in the
other you have the Interest due for One, Three, Six,
Nine, or Twelve months.

Table₃

Dove 1696.

Tables of Reversion for Renewing a Lease of
20 years, according to any number of years
within that time Lapsed, at 12^{lb} 6^s,
at 11^{lb} 11^s 8^d, and at 6^{lb} per cent.

	12 ^{lb} 6 p. c.				11 11 8 p. c.				at 6 ^{lb} p. c.			
	Years	Quarters	Months	Weeks	Years	Quarters	Months	Weeks	Years	Quarters	Months	Weeks
The Fine for Renewing.	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	3
	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	3	0	2	1	3
	3	0	1	1	0	1	1	2	0	3	2	3
	4	0	1	2	0	2	0	1	1	1	1	2
	5	0	2	1	0	2	2	2	1	3	0	0
	6	0	3	0	0	3	2	2	2	0	2	0
	7	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	2	2	1
	8	1	0	2	3	1	1	1	1	3	0	1
	9	1	1	2	3	1	2	1	2	3	2	1
	10	1	3	0	0	1	3	2	0	4	0	1
	11	2	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	4	2	2
	12	2	1	2	0	2	2	1	2	5	1	0
	13	2	2	0	2	3	0	0	2	5	2	1
	14	3	1	0	0	3	2	0	0	6	2	0
	15	3	3	0	0	4	0	0	1	7	1	0
	16	4	1	0	3	4	2	1	1	8	0	0
	17	4	3	2	0	5	1	0	0	8	3	0
	18	5	2	1	3	5	3	2	2	9	2	1
	19	6	1	2	0	6	3	0	1	10	2	0
	Total value	20	7	1	0	3	7	2	2	0	11	1

The first part of this Table is calculated at 12 lb. 6 sh. per cent. so that the time for renewing 7 years Lapsed is just 1 years value. The second part is calculated at 11 lb. 11 sh. 8 d. per cent. (which is the rate that is observed in a Lease of 21 years, when 1 years

Dove 1696.

Tables of Reversion for Renewing a Lease of
10 years according to any number of years
within that term Lapsed at 17^{lb} 5^{sh}.
at 10^{lb}. and at 6^{lb}. per cent.

The time for Renewing.	17 ^{lb} 5 ^{sh} . p. c.				10 ^{lb} per c.			6 ^{lb} per cent		
	Y. Lapsed	Years	Quarters	Months	Weeks	Years	Quarters	Months	Weeks	Years
	1	0	0	2	1	0	1	1	2	0
	2	0	1	2	0	0	3	0	3	1
	3	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	1	1
	4	1	0	0	0	1	3	0	2	2
	5	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	3
	6	1	3	0	3	2	3	2	3	3
	7	2	1	1	0	3	2	2	0	4
	8	2	3	2	1	4	1	2	0	5
	9	3	2	2	0	5	0	2	3	6
Total value	10	4	2	0	1	6	0	1	3	7

value is to be given for 7 years run out) so that the fine for renewing 7 years Lapsed according to this rate of interest, is 1 year, 1 month, and 2 week's value : The third part of the Table being calculated at 6^{lb}. per cent. the fine for renewing 7 years Lapsed is 2 years, 2 quarters, 1 month, and 2 week's value ; and so as the rate of interest decreaseth, the fines both for Renewing and Purchasing increase.

In a Lease for 10 years, they usually give 1 years value for 4 years Lapsed, and then the Tenant hath 17^{lb}. 5^{sh}. per cent. profit for his money, as the Table shews; but if he gives 1 year, 3 quarters 0 months, 2 week's value to renew the same, he hath but 10^{lb}. per cent. &c. So the value of a Lease for 10 years at 17^{lb}. 5^{sh}. per cent. is 4 years 2 quarters, 0 months, and 1 week's purchase ; but at 6^{lb}. per cent.

What Annuity to continue any number of years under 21 is worth in ready money.			The Reversion of 1 lb. for any number of years under 31 at 6 per cent.			A Table for renewing a 21 years Lease.			cent. it is worth above 7 years purchase, and at 10 lb. per cent. it is worth above 6 years value.		
lb.	sh.	d.	Y.	li.	s.	Years past	Years	Quarters	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
0	18	1	1	18	10	1	0	0	1		
1	16	8	2	17	9	2	0	6	3		
2	13	5	3	16	9	3	0	1	1		
3	9	3	4	15	10	4	0	1	3		
4	4	3	5	14	11	5	0	2	2		
4	18	4	6	14	1	6	0	3	0		
5	11	7	7	13	4	7	1	0	0		
6	4	2	8	12	6	8	1	0	3		
1	36	0	9	11	10	9	1	1	3		
7	7	2	10	11	2	10	1	2	3		
7	17	8	11	10	7	11	2	0	0		
8	7	8	12	9	11	12	2	1	1		
8	17	0	13	9	5	13	2	2	3		
9	5	10	14	8	10	14	3	0	2		
9	14	3	15	8	7	15	3	2	1		
10	2	1	16	7	10	16	4	0	2		
10	9	6	17	7	6	17	4	2	3		
11	16	6	18	7	0	18	5	1	1		
11	3	2	19	6	7	19	5	0	1		
11	9	4	20	6	3	20	6	3	2		
11	15	3	21	5	1	21	7	3	0		
12	0	10	22	5	7						
12	6	0	23	5	3						
12	11	0	24	4	11						
12	15	8	25	4	8						
13	0	0	26	4	5						
13	4	2	27	4	2						
13	8	1	28	3	10						
13	11	9	29	3	9						
13	15	3	30	3	6						

The Table for Renewing a 21 y. Lease is made upon the grounds of giving 1 y. value to renew 7 years lapsed, which is observed by Bishops, Deans, and Chapters, Heads & Fellows of most Colleges in letting their Leases, and in so doing they allow their Tenants above 1 lb. per cent. profit for their money; so if 14 y. be lapsed then the Table shews that 3 years, & 2 quarters of a quarters value is to be given to renew the same at the same rate of interest, and so for more or fewer years lapsed.

The use of the Table of Reversion of 1 lb. is thus: suppose an Estate is mortgaged for 20 years whose real value or fee simple is 100 lb. then what is the Reversion thereof worth after 20 years, for answer I look against 20 y. and find that the Reversion of 1 lb. is but 7 sh. then I say if 1 lb. give 7 sh. what will 100 lb. give? Answer, 35 lb. which is the worth of the Reversion required at 6 per cent.

A Table shewing how many Bishopricks are in both Provinces of England and Wales, what Counties in every Bishoprick: How many Cities, Market-Towns, and Parishes are in every County, and how many Knights and Burgeses are chosen to serve in Parliament in every County.

Bishopricks.	Counties.	Cit.	M.	T.	Par.	K.B.
Arch-Bishopr.						
Canterbury	Kent	2	29	408	10	
Rochester						
	Middlesex,	2	4	154	8	
London	Essex,	0	21	415	8	
	Hertford, part.	0	18	120	6	
	Lincoln	1	34	630	12	
	Leicester	0	12	192	4	
Lincoln	Huntington	0	6	79	4	
	Bedford	0	10	116	4	
	Buckingham	0	15	185	14	
	Hantsire	1	16	253	26	
Winchester	Isle of Wight	0	0			
	Garnsey & Ferscy	0	0			
	Surrey	0	7	140	14	
Ely	Cambridge	1	9	163	6	
	Isle of Ely					
Salisbury	Wilts	1	22	304	34	
	Berks	0	12	140	9	
Chichester	Sussex	1	16	312	20	
	Devon	1	32	394	26	
Exeter	Cornwall	0	21	161	44	
Bath and Wells	Somerset	3	30	385	18	
	Norfolk	1	26	668	12	
Norwich	Suffolk	0	28	464	16	
	Worcester	1	11	152	9	
Worster	Warwick-sh. part	1	15	158	6	
	Stafford	1	18	130	10	
Coventry and	Darby	0	9	106	4	
Litchfield	Salop part.	0	14	170	12	

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Hereford	Hereford	1	8	176	8
Oxford	Oxford	1	13	20	9
Gloucester	Gloucester	1	25	280	8
Peterborough	Northampton	1	13	326	9
Bristol	Rutland	0	2	48	2
	Dorset-shire	3	12	218	20
	Pembrook	0	8	145	3
S. Davids	Caermarthen	0	8	87	2
	Cardigan	0	4	64	2
	Brecknock	0	4	61	2
	Radnor	0	3	52	2
Landaffe	Glamorgan parts	0	8	118	2
	Monmouth	0	7	127	3
	Monigom.	0	6	47	2
S. Asaph	Denhigh	0	4	57	2
	Flins	0	2	25	2
	&				
	Merioneth	0	3	3	1
Bangor	Garnarvan	0	0	66	2
	Anglesey	0	2	74	2

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Tork Arch-Bis.	Nottingham	0	9	158	6
	Tork part.	1	48	563	29
	Chester	1	13	48	4
Chester	Lancaster	0	25	61	14
	Flins part.	0			
	Denhigh part.	0			
Carlisle	Cumberland part.	1	15	58	6
	Westmorland	0	8	25	4
Durham	Durham	1	6	118	4
	Northumberl.	0	6	166	8

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